



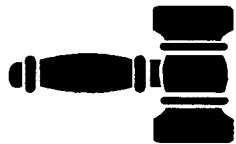
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Arkwood Superfund Site Consent Decree



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The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) and Mass Merchandisers, Inc. (MMI) have signed a Consent Decree that outlines financial responsibility for correcting contamination problems at the Arkwood Superfund site in Omaha, Arkansas. The negotiated Consent Decree will require MMI to implement the remedy selected by EPA in September 1990 in a timely manner, and operate and maintain the site upon completion of the remedy.

The U.S. Department of Justice has lodged the Consent Decree in Federal District Court for the Western District of Arkansas,

Harrison Division, in Harrison, Arkansas. A notice soliciting public comment on the Consent Decree will be published soon in the *Federal Register*, and the public will have 30 days to comment on the Consent Decree.

At the end of the comment period, the Court will consider all written comments before the Consent Decree takes affect. Citizens will be notified by mail when the public comment period begins.

